HIS RELATIONS TO SLAVERY AND OTHER POLITI-CAL QUESTIONS-MISSOURI AND THE PRESI-

DENCY. Correspondence of The Springfield Republican CHICAGO, Ell., July 30, 1859. I accede to your request with pleasure, although I

did not suppose, when informing you of the pleasant afternoon I had enjoyed with Judge Bates, that it would elicit the requisition you have made on me. Happening recently at St. Louis, a friend suggested a drive out to Judge Bates's residence, which is just beyond the city limits, and about four miles from the Court-House. There being a vacation in most of the

Courts, he was erjoying a few days' relaxation from the drudgery of his very large practice, to which, dar-ing term time, he laboriously devotes himself; and we had a most delightful visit of several hours, looking through his fine garden, examining his extensive grape-ry, and discussing the politics of the day in the most

ee and unreserved manner.

I had not seen Mr. Bates since the great harbor and I had not seen Mr. Bates since the great harbor and river Convention in this city twelve years ago, over which he precided. His magnificent speech at its adjournment, which so entranced the stenographers, as well as the audience, that no full report of it was ever written out, lingers on my memory yet as a very masterpiece of eloquence, and justifies the eulogy of that veteran of the press, Thurlow Weed, that it deserved a place in the highest class of American oratory. He

place in the highest class of American oratory. He has changed in personal appearance less than I expected to find, and his iron constitution seems entirely unimpaired. The gray hairs of age are seen entirely unimpaired. The gray hairs of age are seen on his head, but they by no means predominate; and although just 65, his step is firm, his eye clear, being able to read without spectacles, and his back-bone as stanch as the most of people's at 40. His family is a long-lived one; his mother not dying till 90, and a maidea sister stifl living in his house at 82. He attributes his vigorous health to constant occupation (although I should give his temperate habits a large share of the credit); for, not being blessed with a superfluinty of the world's goode, and having been blessed, as is usual in such cases, with a large family, having had 16 children, he has lived a laborious life, and schooled himself to enjoy the toils of his profession. Reminding you, as he does, of the statesmen of the olden time, he has illustrated their example by his own unconcern for the heaves of political life. Often declining nominations which would have been cerdially conferred if he had been willing to accept them, he felt it a day to his family to return to President Fillmore, unaccepted, the Cabinet appointment with which he was honored in 1830; and although by no means an indifferent spectator of public affairs, he has steadily through life regarded the private station as the post of honor and independence. Aware too, as he is, that his name is on many lips in connection with the Presidency, he never alluded to it in our whole conversation, although he spoke several times of the sad results which the country might expect if the present Administration was succeeded by one kindred to it in sentiment, and of the auspicious fluture to which a union of the Opposition might lead.

Mr. Bates converses freely and frankly with his neighbors and friends, as he always has done, the equilibrium of his position, has been by many misunderstood.

appealing to the South to stand, in good land, by he provisions.

Again: During the exciting scenes in Kansas, which Again: During the exciting scenes in Kansas, which followed for several years, he steraly opposed the persecuting policy of Pierce's Administration. Finally, when Lecompton was presented to Congress, and backed by the whole power of the Administration, his pen sgain portrayed and denounced its iniquity in the press of his city; and the swindling and disgraceful English bill he similarly rebuked. In a word, while sincerely desiring peace and a cessation of the Slavery agitation, and protesting that the negro question ought mot to be the governing, dominant question of the country, he has neither preached nor practiced submission, and his letter therefore was no more intended to reproach Republicans, as a party, than himself as a man. He believes that by exiling the Democratic party and its reckless plotters and agitators from power, and by installing in their place an Administration looking to the development of our present territory rather than expansion, in either a northern or southern direction, setting its face like a flint against fillbustering, and all other wild schemes of territorial aggrandizement, and fostering, as far as possible, good feeling among all sections of the Union, the Government can, in a few years, be restored to the policy and the paths of its founders.

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It is already well known that he regards the existence of Slavery in Missouri as a misfortone, crippling its prosperity and retarding its growth; and he believes her destined by her position and her true interests to become ultimately a Free-Labor State, gradually, but none the less surely. He did his part toward it, a dozen years ago, by educating the last slave he ever held, learning him the shoemaker's trade, emancipating him and sending him to Liberia. And the aged sister, of whom I before spoke, living in his house, and who once owned 32 in all, has been for many years gradually emancipating hers; till a few weeks ago, in the court at St. Louis, as the press of that city has already shown, she manumitted the few that were left, and thus severed her connection also with the institution.

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As to the sovereign power of Congress over the Territories, the Judge remarked that he had learned it from the great men of the past, Mr. Calhoun alone excepted, and was too old to unlearn it now. Habituahy entertaining a profound respect for the judiciary, he acquiesced in the flat of the United States Supreme Court, dismissing the case of Dred Scott for want of jurisdictor, though his judgment did not concar with theirs. But the long essays which, without any case before them, the Judges then went on to deliver, in regard to the constitutionality of the Missouries of the Missouri theirs. But the long essays which, without any case before them, the Judges then went on to deliver, in regard to the constitutionality of the Missouri Compromise, and the Constitution carrying Slavery into the Territories ex propria rigore, he regarded as extra judicial, and political, and entitled to no more weight or authority than the same number of speeches by eminent Senators in the Lecompton debate.

But I have not time for more extended remarks on our conversation, except to say that he thinks that the governmental corruption and extravagance of this Administration should be rebuked—that the "nationality" of Slavery is a new invention, not over ten years

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old—and that the slave-trade, now so shamelessly reopened, without even a Presidental proclamation
against it, should be stopped by the promptest and
most energetic execution of the law.

It is generally conceded by the Republicans in the
North, that they do not expect to carry any of the
Slave States in 1860. But this is not conceded in Missouri. The Free-State party in Missouri, as The St.
Louis Democrat, their able and powerful organ, has repeatedly stated of late, intend to present Judge Bates's
name to the National Republican Convention as a
statesman, sans peur et sans reproche, on whom all opposed to the misrule and the inquities of the Democracy can bonorably unite; and they intend to pledge the
electoral vote of Missouri for him if nominated. Nor
will this be an idle pledge. Conversing with many of
the St. Louis Republicans, who are all for him (Frank
Blair, their gallant champion, and The St. Louis Democrat, their powerful organ, included), and with a number of Americans and Whigs also, I found none who
put his probable majority in that single county at less
than 6,600, and some believed that his great personal
popularity, by no means bounded by party lines, would
swell it to 10,000. In the interior his popularity is
equally eminent; and when you count the Republican
vote, the Americans who, though he never joined the
order, all venerate him for his spoiless character and
his personal worth, the Old Line Whigs and Anti-Lecompton Democrats, you have a phalaux which, with
the Central Pacific Railroad issue and river improvecompton Democrate, you have a phalaux which, with the Central Pacific Railroad issue and river improve-

ments, would, undoubtedly, with his name, carry the State. Maj Rollins, the Opposition candidate for Governor of Missouri two years ago, lost the State by only 300, and his majority in St. Louis was but one or two thousand. With six to ten thousand majority in two thousand. With ex to ten thousand inspirity in St. Louis to start with, with Judge Bates's remarkable personal popularity, and with State pride in favor of the first cannidate ever presented by Missouri for the Presidency, who could doubt the result? And with such a canvass as would be making in Missouri, Illinois and Indiana would be safe beyond all peradventure.

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PERSONAL.

-A dinner was given to Mrs. Stowe, previously to her departure for Europe, at the Revere House, Boston, by the Atlantic Club, we believe. She accepted the invitation on condition that wine should be prohibited. Prof. Stowe, Miss P-, and Mr. J. G. Whittier were also of the party. The table was innocent of wine until the invited guests had departed.

-The 50th birthday of Dr. O. W. Holmes, Autoerat and Professor, falls on the 29th inst. His friends celebrate this golden wedding of his life by a dinner to him at the Revere House.

-Lieut, Arthur B. Stanford of North Carolina, at tached to the Revenue Steam Cutter Harriet Lane, died after a very short illness at the house of Capt. Bennet, at Tompkinsville, S. I. He had had a slight attack of ervsipelas.

-A few weeks ago, The Saroy Gazette contained the following paragraph: "It is said that M. Pietri, the head of the Imperial Police in Italy, has had a long conference with Kossuth at the Hotel Trembetta." The same journal subsequently published, evidently on the authority of M. Kossuth himself, the following very curious rectification of the above statement:

According to a communication which we have received from a person fully authorized to make it, there was in the above two lines a serious error, which it is important to correct. As to the peculiar functions which it is assumed that M. Senator Pietri exercises in Italy, it as for him to contradict the rumor if he should deem it recessary. But with regard to M. Kossuth, who has had not one but several interviews with M. Pietri, he certainly did not and could not meet him in the character of the head of the lungerial Police. M. "Kossuth itested with M. Pietris as the confidential agent of the Emperor Napoleon, charged with the conduct of all details concerning the relations of the Emperor with the Hungarian exiles.

-Mgr. Menjand, Bishop of Nancy, and first chaplain to the Emperor Napoleon, has been named Archbishop of Bourges, in the room of Mgr. Duport, de ceased; Mgr. Desprez, Bishop of Limoges, is appointed to the Archbishopric of Toulouse, vacant by the death of Mgr. Mioland; the Abbé Obré, Vicar-General of Beauvais, succeeds Mgr. Menjaud in the Bishopric of Nancy; and the Abbé Fruschaud, Vicar-General of Angoulème, replaces Mgr. Desprez at Limoges. The Abbé Epivent, curé of the Cathedral of St. Brienc, is named to the Bishopric of Aire, vacant by the death of Mgr. Hiraboure.

-Prince Jerome, the Emperor's uncle, is said to be suffering severely from gout, which appears to threaten the stomach. Prince Napoleon and the Princess Mathilde are in constant attendance on their father.

- The London Times says: " Mr. W. H. Ward, of Auburn, United States, who exhibited his signal telegraph for the Ocean Marine service at Woolwich on Monday last, again attended at the dock yard on Saturday, by order of the Board of Admiralty. A definite trial of his signal telegraph is to be made at the mastheads of the various ships lying at Woolwich. Mr Ward has received instructions from the Lords of the Admiralty to exhibit his apparatus for night signals at Portsmouth dock-yard also."

-Mr. Richard Tattersall, for many years the proprietor of "The Coroner," London, well known to sporting men of all classes, who was held in high es-teem by the large body of persons with whom his business brought him into contact, his dealings having always been of the most honorable character, died at Dover in his 76th year.

-M. Danchou, the senior of the notaries of France, has just died at Aramita (Basses Pyrénées,) aged 96, in full possession of all his faculties. He began to practice his profession under Louis XVI.

-The Bury (Eng.) Post records the death of Mr. Stevenson Fitch, well known in archæological circles as a zealous and accomplished antiquary.

-The Revue Spirite of Paris states that a dispatch has been received from Humboldt informing his friends that he was welcomed into the spirit world by his friend M. Arago, who was the first to take him by

-The Grand Duchess Marie of Russia arrived on July 31, at Dover, after a very rough passage from

Ostend. -The Hon. A. H. Banscom, a prominent politician of Michigan, and Speaker of the Assembly of that State in 1817, died at Marquette, Lake Superior, on the 4th inst, of hemorrhage of the lungs. He was one of the most genial men in the State, and his death, in the prime of manhood, will cause very many heavy hearts. It is announced, as a singular fact, than his wife (at the time a long distance from him) dreamed, during the night of his death, that he had died, and related the dream to her friends a day or two before the intelligence of his death reached them.

-The Dowager Empress of Russia will arrive or the 15th of August at Interlaken, where her Imperial Highness will remain a week.

-The improbable story was lately set about that Prirce Napoleon was going all the way to Vienna to bring home the remains of the Duke of Reichstadt (Napoleon II.) The Datrie now says there is no sort of foundation for the rumor.

-A Twin journal says that the celebrated poe Manzoni, the author of the "Cinque Maggio," refused to write a dedication for the album which the ladies of Milan propose to present to the Empress.

- A Judgeship in the Court of Bankruptcy in Ireland has become vacant by the death of the Hon. Patrick Plunket, one of the numerous sons of the late

-The Brahmin, Mr. Gangooly, who was driven from the table at the Glens Falls House, on account of the dark hue of his skin, was made quite a lion of at Congress Hall, Saratoga. The landlord, Mr. Hathaway, placed him at a seat of honor, took dinner with him, and left him in charge of his guests, who did him all honor.

-A fancy ball came off at the United States Hotel, Saratogs, Aug. 9. But few persons in fancy costume. Counselor Gerard managed the floor, and Judges Roosevelt, Russell and Sunderland graced the festival. -A correspondent of The Charleston News says that Captain De Rivière is keeping a hotel in New

-The North Church and Society of Hartford have presented to their late pastor, the Rev. Dr. Bushnell, \$10,000 as a provision for himself and his family. He acknowledges it in a grateful and touching letter.

-Mr. Neil Bryant, of "Bryant's Minstrels," was lately married to Miss Gertrude E. Rapsom.

-Mors, Blondin advertises to cross Niagara again on Wednesday the 17th, when he will again perform all his wonderful feats. On his return from the Canada side he will cary a man weighing 145 pounds on his back.

-Mr. La Mountain made a balloon ascension from Watertown, N. Y., on Thursday last, in presence of several thousand people. It was intended, asys The Litica Herald, that Mr. Haddeck, of The Reference, and a young lady, piece of Mr. La Mountain, should join in the accersion, but it was found that the supply of ges was not sufficient to warrant the taking of any passes, At about six o'clock, Mr. L. entered the bassket, and bidding good-bye to the crowd of spectators went off toward the heavens. The ascent was beantiful in the extreme. The sky was almost cloudless—there was scarcely any air stirring, and the balloon ascended almost directly over the village to a hight which reduced it to a mere speck. After reaching a current of upper air the balloon drifted off northward toward Kingston, and was lest to the gaze of the Watertown people at about was lest to the gaze of the Watertown people at about 61 o'clock. Once or twice the air-ship struck a fleecy cloud, and would for a mement disappear, when suddenly the speek, reduced to the "size of a man's hand," would emerge sgain and drift away on its Utica Herald, that Mr. Haddock, of The Reformer,

course. The accension was one of the most successful ever made. At the time of writing (Friday evening) we have heard nothing of the balloon since it left Watertown. If no different current of air was encountered than that which carried the balloon away at the start, the landing will probably be made somewhere in the vicitity of Kingston.

POLITICAL.

-Since the peace in Italy (says the Washington correspondent of The Philadelphia Press), and the declination of Mr. Buchanan as a candidate for reciection, J. B. has been greatly disturbed about the apparition of George M. Dallas of Pennsylvania, American Minister at London, following his example in 1855-56, and becoming a candidate for the success sion. I wrote to you some time ago about a promise which had been given to a distinguished New-Yorker of the mission to the Court of St. James, and I will not be at all surprised if Mr. Buchanan should insist upon putting somebody into his old place, as a reward for expected services, if not for past friendship.

-The vote of 99 out of 104 counties of Kentucky foots up Magoffin 75,511; Bell 76,817; giving Magoffin a majority of 7,694. In the Legislature the Democrate have a majority of 20 on joint ballot, a gain of 6 over the last.

-Although Gen. Houston ran, and appears to have been elected Governor of Texas, in distinct opposition to the Administration, and so publicly stated his position, his success is now claimed by The Washington Constitution as an Administration triumph.

AN EXPLOSION, AN EARTHQUAKE OR A METEOR.

Correspondence of The N. Y. Tribune.

SHAKER'S VILLAGE, New-Lebanon, Aug. 12, 1859. A meteor passed over this village yesterday about o'clock a. m. We are engaged blasting rocks for a building. A very loud explosion was heard throughout the whole neighborhood, about the time above specified, which was supposed by those in the Shaker's Village to be a blast, and by those at a distance to be the Lee Powder Mills (ten miles distance). But as the sound was prolonged it caused surprise, and attracted general attention and remark, ending in the conclusion that it was an earthquake. But after a short interval, I found that two brethren, being at the Tan-House, saw a meteor about the size of a hat, pass from South to North, leaving a smoke behind on its trail. They say it was brighter than lightning. and moved with equal velocity, through a space of seven degrees.

SHOCKING SUICIDE BY A BOY.

Correspondence of The N. Y. Tribune.

NORWALK, Conn., Aug. 13, 1859. Last evening (Friday) a thrill of horror electrified our quiet community as the tidings sped from mouth to mouth that a young man, 17 years of age, had shot himself in a fit of passion! It is rumored that he had been maddened by the just rebukes and expostulations of his father and family, because of improprieties in his conduct. Accordingly he borrowed a pistol, and going to the rear of the house, applied it to his person and fired it, so close that his clothing was set on fire by the explosion. The family hearing the sound rushed to the spot, and found him weltering in his blood. He said he had done it to spite his father, and at first expressed no regret for what he had done; but afterward, when he came to realize his position he bewailed his madness and folly. The very respectable family are, of course, plunged into the deepest

grief. The ball entered his abdomen, passed through his body, and lodged under the skin in his back. We saw it in the hands of his physician, who said this morning that he was dying. What an affecting instance of the infatuation of passion; of the wickedness and misery of an ungoverned temper! Ponder it, parents and teachers! Take warning, boys! Let the lesson the improved is our Gunday Schools! "He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty: and "he that ruleth his spirit than he that taketh a city."

THE CHIRIQUI REGION.

Correspondence of The N. Y. Tribune. BOCA DEL TORO, July 20, 1859.

I write to confirm the news of the important discov eries which were announced by the last steamer. The extensive cemeteries of the aborigines that inclose in their sepulchres such vast treasures are very numerous, for the "Talamancas" who peopled Chiriqui were numerous and powerful, as well as rich. At the time of . WALLACK's THEATER.—"Lalla Rookh" is still suctheir conquest by the Spaniards they comprised nine | cassfully played here, and is now announced for its their conquest by the Spaniards they comprised nine large tribes. It was a custom of the aborigines to bury their valuables with them. Few of these Indians remain, and those few, now scattered in the mountains of Chiriqui, still preserve the same custom. In one of these cemeteries in the savannas, which I saw, each grave was indicated by a head stone, half buried in

the earth. The northern slope of this Province was as thickly peopled as the southern one, but being now so densely covered with forests, no one has yet examined the ric homes of the dead. It would be very easy for me to find them by the data I now have. Two stone figures, representing a warrior and a child, were found in one of these cemeteries, on the northern slope, on the banks of the river called "Estrels", that empties into the lagoon. I have also obtained some very su perior coal from the borders of this river.

In my opinion, and I have well studied the subject. the wealth buried in these numerous cemeteries will create a large emigration to Chiriqui, and the source whence all the gold was obtained will be discovered by the energies of the men of the North. The history of Spain points to the great mine of "Tisingal," sit-uated in some part of this country, and there is no doubt about the auriferous richness of this country. P. and B., who were also on the spot, confirmed these statements, and concurred with me in the opinion that great and profitable gold washings exist. Compared with California and Australia, Chiriqui appears o be admirably situated between two oceans, easy of access from all parts of the world-its harbors are fine and its climate healthy. The coal mines, of themselves, will soon become as important as the gold.

MARINE AFFAIRS.

DISASTERS TO AMERICAN SHIPS. Numerous disasters to American ships are reported

by the Vanderbilt. The Abby Blanchard (American ship) caught fire on the eve of her departure for New-Orleans. No lives lost. Amount of damage not yet ascertained.

BORDEAUX, July 30. The "Royal Victoria," for Quebec, has put back. She has been in contact with the "Benjamin Adams,"

of New-Orleans. LIVERPOOL, Aug. 1. The "Elgin," for Quebec, in going out of the river, got ashere on Nelson Point during a squall, and remains, but will be off again, in all probability, next

tide. The ship Glarce, from New York to Bramen, took fire on the 18th of July, was run ashere near Bremer-

haven, and burnt to the water's edge.

The ship Vancouver, from New-York, was totally wrecked on the South Bank, near Shanghae. The

crew were saved and landed at Shanghae.

The bark Saxonville, from Boston for Hong Kong, put into Mauritius, June 26, lesky, and with part of er cargo thrown overboard. The "Robert," supposed to be the ship R. M. Slo-

nan, from Cottenburg to Boston, sprung a leak near Skager, and was run ashore near Jutland, 25th July. About fifty persons landed from her at Slyerting. The back Alexander Wise, from Marseilles, bound for New-York, was stranded off Point Carners, near

Gibraltar. The hull and materials of the ship Josephine, before reported burnt at Mausitius, bad been sold.

ARRIVAL OF THE RICHMOND GRAYS.

THE RECEPTION BY THE NATIONAL GUARD. On Saturday evening the Richmond Grays arrived on the train from Philadelphia, and met with an enthusiastic reception from the 7th Regiment of this city, a detachment of which, under the command of Brevet-Col. Shumway, had been detailed for the

pleasurable duty.

In anticipation of the event, the 7th Regiment had held meetings, and made their arrangements accordingly. To the 8th and 4th Companies was assigned the duty of receiving the guests. They formed it Washington square at 5 o'clock, Capt. Riblett and Lieut. Aichstead commanding their respective companier. Capt. Perley, with the National Guard troop also formed a part of the escort. The division took its line of march down Broadway and Courtlandt street to the Jersey City Ferry, preceded by the regimental band, numbering thirty-five pieces. On cross ing the ferry, the division drew up in line on Montgemery street, to await the arrival of the train.

The Committee of the Common Council and the 7th Regiment were admitted within the depot. On the arrival of the train, loud cheers were sent up on all sides, and the Committee rushed to the ears to seek out their guests. Capt. Elliott of the Grays was introduced to Col. Lefferts and other officers of the 7th, and for some minutes the time was passed in friendly greetings. The Committee of the Common Council learned that Mayor Mayo of Richmond had been unable to take his departure with the Company, but would arrive to-day.

The Company then formed in line and marched out of the depot, and were received with prolonged cheers from the 7th Regiment and a body of citizens numbering several thousands. The enthusiastic greeting was responded to by the Grays. The Companies then marched into the ferry-house, thence to the best which the Ferry Company had set aside for the guests and their escort. It was crowded in cabin and on deck. The cheering and music continued until they reached the foot of Courtlandt street, where another vast crowd had assembled to welcome the visitors. Rockets and Roman candles were set off in great num bers, and cheer followed cheer in quick succession and thus the enthusiasm continued throughout the march up Broadway to the Brandreth House, which had been selected as the quarters of the Grays during their sojourn in the city.

The following is the roll of the Richmond Grays:

Captain Wyatt M. Eillott,
Captain Louis J. Bossieux,
Captain Jacob B. Crawford,
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Corporal J. S. Michard,
Corporal J. Crus Bossieux,
Corporal J. C. Hoeffieh,
Corporal Ed. M. Alfriend, E. W. Branch, W. Branch, W. Glosen, D. McConnochie, John Learmont, Cabell E. Fluurnoy, S. V. Crawford, J. W. Ballentine, George Nicholtas, Enis Edia, John Colin. Miles T. Phillips, M. Mills Crawford, Mann Page, Wm. Ready, Chris Heisz, Chris Heliz,
Join Gibsen,
Wm. H. Dean,
James V. Stevenson,
Louis F. Bossienx,
Virginia Boissioux,
Frank Bin ford,
James E. Tyler,
J. McKenty,
James H. Mundy,
David Wilson,
Ed. Allen,
Jno. F. Tompkins,
Jsmes T. Vaughan,
Wm. W. Wood,
Juo H. Daniel,
Lyman J. Laughtov,
Thes. W. Pairos
H. Wilson,
Alfred Colling,
Geo. H. Libby,
B. Shelton, John Askew, James Phillips, Juo. O. Taylor, Phil. Whitlock, W. H. Reberts, Juo. Sharks, A. Seiberling, Juo. H. Wright, Isaac W. Crutchseid.

Yesterday morning the Grays, escorted by the 4th and 8th companies of the National Guard, marched to St. John's Church, opposite St. John's Park, where seats had been reserved for them. A discourse was preached by the Rev. Mr. Weston, Bishop elect of leans, who is also the chaplain of the Regiment.

To day the Grays will visit the public institutions, under the charge of the Alms-House Governors. For

this purpose a steamer has been chartered. To-morrow a parade will take place, and the Grays will be reviewed in front of the City Hall by the Mayor and Common Council. In the evening grand banquet will take place at the Metropolitan Hotel.

AMUSEMENTS.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.-The Ravels are doing their excellent pantomimes in a superior style, with an excel lent company. They have in preparation the grand fairy pantomime of "Bianco," which will be produced with new scenery, properties, &c , it being the intention to excel any previous production of the piece.

fifth week. On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Florence will take a farewell benefit, on which occasion " Ireland As It Is" will be given, together with Lalla Rookh." BOWERY THEATER, -- Mesers, Allen and Boniface are

presenting the usual style of pieces to the patrons of their establishment. This week, in connection with other dramas, they announce "Pike's Peak, or the Search for Riches.

NATIONAL TREATER .- To-night, " Mazeppa" and Jenny Lind." BRYANT'S MINSTRELS,-The three brothers Bryant continue to give their popular entertainments, and

richly merit the great success they are achieving. This week a varied programme is put forth. BUCKLEY'S MINSTRELS will give to-night the burlesque opera of the "Bohemian Girl," and their

usual songs, music, etc. Wood's Missingle.-Eph Horn and the usual company will be found at No. 563 Broadway. BARNUN'S MUSEUM .- A Summer Company are

playing here for a short season. The collection of curiosities still remains the same. JONES'S WOOD .- A Circus is to be opened here of Wednesday next. To-day a grand festival of the

Madison Light Guards comes off in the woods.

CITY ITEMS.

HACKMEN BOARDING BOATS FOR BAGGAGE .- A cas came up at the City Hall Police Court on Saturday in which a fight had resulted from the determined efforts of Officer McDongal to keep backmen from boarding the steamer Commonwealth on her arrival the same morning. The officer alleged that he was deputed by Sergeant Croft to perform this duty, and that the defendant, James Wyath, had created the disturbance undoubtedly under the impression that he (the officer) was trying to go beyond his instructions. It was decided that backmen never had the right to board a boat for baggage, and Wyath was dismissed in consideration of the clubbing he had received during the meles, and that he acted under a wrong impression in regard to the privileges of his

CITY MORTALITY .- The weekly report of the City Inspector shows that the deaths for the week ending on Saturday numbered 661, which is an increase of 36 over the mortality of the week previous. Of the deaths last week 88 were of men, 96 women, 256 boys, and 221 girls. As compared with the same week last August there is a decrease in the number of deaths aet week of 34. Of the whole number of deaths reported by the Inspector, 466 were of ten years and under. The mortality seems to have been greatest among children of two years of age and under, 380 deaths, or more than one half of the entire bill of mortality, having occurred among them. Cholers infantum still prevails extensively among children, but is not quite so wirulent as in the previous week, the figures showing a slight decrease in its ravages. Fevers are not so prevalent as they commonly are in August, the number of deaths being only 18. As usual at this season of the year, diseases of the stomach, bowels and other digestive organs, maintain their ascendency, the number of deaths being 200. Next is order come diseases of the brain and nerves, numbering 132. In addition there were 119 deaths by

disease of the lungs and throat, 31 of skin and eruptive diseases, 29 stillborn and premature births, 39 of general fevers, 5 of old age, 11 of diseases of the cenerative and urinary organs, and one of the bones, joints, &c. Twenty-one deaths areas from violent causes. The nativity table shows that 507 were natives of the United States, 118 of Ireland, 18 of Germany, 7 of England, 3 of Scotland, 1 each of British and South America, Sweden and Switzerland, and 2

The sloop Caution, from this city, loaded with offal, discharged her cargo in the Bay on Saturday night, and the larger part of it went ashore on the Staten Island side. The stench arising from it on Sunday morning, when exposed to the sun, was such as to create the greatest excitement among the inhabitants, and also the disgust of the many passengers from this city who had gone to the Island to spend the day. A vigilance Committee was talked of to attend to the captain and crew of the sloop.

SEIZURE OF POWDER .- The Police of the Twentythird Precinct, yesterday seized a schooner laden with gunpowder, at the foot of One-Hundredth street, East River. A guard was placed on the vessel.

Counterpair Money. - Sergeant Jacobs and Offi cer Wittback, of Brooklyn, last night arrested a fellow named Megsley, for passing a counterfeit five dollar bul in the Twentieth Ward of this city. They had followed the accused from Brooklyn.

A NIGHT'S CRUSADE AGAINST HOG TOWN -Mr. Downing and fourteen of his men paid a moonlight visit to Hog Town on Friday night, continuing their operations up to 11 o'clock, when they were overtaken by a rain-storm, causing their retreat. The object of this night campaign was to ascertain and thwart the movements of the hog drivers, many of whom were believed to carry on the boiling of offal and the feeding of hogs that were driven out during the day. The expedition, however, was a failure, as no more than four or five pigs were found, and no startling discoveries made. The dogs were somewhat intractable, and for their demonstrations were pretty roughly treated, a number of them being cudgeled to their full deserts, and one or two shot. At one place Mr. Downing was bitten in the thumb by a ferceious dog, who pounced upon him without notice. At another place a German woman was found boiling fat for the soap factories. Later in the evening a company of native roughs, whose enmity had been excited against the reporters, followed along the rear of the invaders in quest of faces to recognize and pummel on

future and more felicitous occasions.

On Tuesday the City Inspector will direct his army to make an attack on the eastern side.

ALLEGED INDECEST OUTRAGE. - Last night the Fifth Ward police apprehended a young man, 23 years of age, named Wheeler, charged with attempting an indecent assault upon the person of a child named Lina McCarthy. The child is only four years of age.

A DESPERATE CHARACTER IN CUSTODY.—William Suller, who was indicted for the killing of a boy at Kalsey's alley, Brooklyn, some time ago, was aarested by officers Todd and Beltou, of the Harbor Pelice, for assault and battery on officer Coughlin of the First precinct, and on being taken before Justice Connolly at the Lower Police Court yesterday, he was locked up for trial.

NEW-YORK HOSPITAL .- Weekly report to Aug. 12,

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Coroner Gamble held an inquest on Saturcay, on the body of John Gillespie, who died at the New-York Hespital from injuries received by falling down into the cellar of a new house in Worth street, near Broadway. He resided at No. 129 West Thirry-first street, and was engaged on Friday afternoon in working on the adewaix near the excavation. On attempt ing to move a large stone, his crowbar slipped, and he was precipitated down the excavation a distance of twenty-five feet, straking his head against some timbers in the descent. He was picked up insensible, and taken to the New York Hospital, where it was found that the skull was fractured at its base. He was about fifty years of age. A verdict of Accidental Death was rendered.

RECOVERY OF STOLEN GOODS.—About 5 o'clock on Sanday evenior, Officer Jordan of the Sixth Precinct saw three men—two negroes and one white man—passing Baxter street with a box of goods. He watched them, and saw them go into the house No. 159 Worth street. Procuring the assistance of Officer Gilgan, he went to the house, and there arrested the two negroes. On scarching the basement, they discovered a box containing tweive gross of plated spoons, which they took to the Sixth Precinct Station. Subsequently they arrested the other man, who had in his possession a jimmy. The parties give their names as James Collins, James Pool, and Michael D. Rosch. The box is marked M. W. Seymour, and other marks have been obliterated. The articles are supposed to be the proceeds of some burglaty.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—John Ryan, a lad about 14 years of age, employed in the manufactury of M. & J. Beck, in Forty-third street, between Teuth and Eleventh avenues, had his legs and arms badly crushed on Saturday, by being count in the machinety. The injured lad was taken to the New-York Hospital for medical treatment.

SCICIDE.—A young man named Hugh Kennedy, on Friday, while under the influence of delirium tremeus, committed suitcide by jumping into the Forty seventh attest dock. The body was not recovered. Deceased resid at the corner of Forty-eighth street and Eleventh avenue.

Accidental Drowning.—Coroner O'Keefs held an inquest at No. 78 East Broadway, on the body of Henry Kent Lyons, a lad II years of age, who was drowned in the dock foot of Broome street, East River. Henry was playing in the river, when he attempted to climb up a stick of timber leading to the pier, but in doing so slipped, and, falling into the river, was drowned. His body was recovered soon afterward, and was conveyed to his late residence. The Jury rendered a verdict of death from accidental drowning.

FATAL ACCIDENT.— Coroner Gamble held an inquest at the New-York Hospital upon the body of a man named John Gilespie, who was accidentally killed by falling into the area way of a new building 1 ow in course of srection in Worth street, test Broadway. Deceased was attempting to move a large stome with a crow bar, when he slipped and was precipitated into the order beneath, a distance of over 30 feet. Verdict accidental death. Deceased was 30 years of age and was a native of Ire-land. FATAL ACCIDENT .- Coroner Gamble held an inquest

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.—Wm. Bagley was arrested on Saturday on charge of attempting to steal a quantily of ellier spoons; inspitin-rings, and other articles from the house of Mrs. Clarinda Phelps, No. 65 East Twenty-sixth street. The accused was caught in the act. Justice Quachenbush committed him for trial.

FATAL KICK BY A HORSE.-Thomas Brennan FATAL ALCE BY A HOUSE.—In DORSE Treatment of Iriabids, 16 years of age, was almost instantly killed at the stable, No. 369 Second street, Schurdsy afternoon, in consequence of bring kicked in the breast by a horse. Thomse, in removing the horse from a cart, struck him a blow with a whip, when the animal turned and kicked him. An inquest was held on the body by Coroner O'Keefe, and the jury found that his death was the result of accident. Deceased lived at No. 609 Water street.

BURGLARY AND ROBBERY—Stephen Boyle and William Goodall were arrested by Detectives Rosch and Pool, on a charge of having burglariously entered the dwelling-house of Mrs. Meintee, at the corner of Elghteenth street and Eighth avenue, and stealing therefrom about \$300 in gold coin and bunk bills. The prisoners were found to be spending money quite freely, and the efficers hearing of the fact, arrested them on suspicion. Boyle has just returned from the country (Blackwell's Island), and his likeness adorns the Rogues Guilary. The prisoners were both locked up for further examination.

CHARGE OF GRAND LARCENY.—Francis Duffy was charged with stealing a gold fob chain and two gold fineer rings, the property the propesty of William Dueley. The property was restored to the owner. Duffy was brought before Jastice Breu-nan at the Lesex Market Police Court, and there committed for

DIED IN A STABLE.—The body of John McCarty was found in the stall of his stable on Friday, where, it is supposed he died of heart disease. His remains were removed to his late residence, No. 315 Cherry street.

BRADY'S GALLERY

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BROOKLYN ITEMS

THE SUNDAY LAW .- Yesterday the places where liquor is sold were generally closed in the Eastern District. On Saturday, all the parties were notified that they must close on Sunday. The order was rather cheerfully complied with so far as the front deors were concerned, but there were quite a number of places where the back or the side door were left open for the accommodation of the regular customers. The First District police, yesterday, arrested several porter-house keepers, in the 3d and 4th wards, for keeping their places open in defiance of law. They were held for a hearing.

The police request families about leaving the city to leave their address at the Station House of the District in which they reside, in order to enable the officers to pay attention to their houses. Most of the burglaries committed during this month are in houses temporarily unoccupied.

WAR UPON THE Hous.-The police are waging a fierce war upon the hogs and goats in the Ninth Ward, the population of which has been greatly increased lately by immigration from the up-town New-York piggeries. On Saturday about a dozen persons, representing from one to ten hoge each, were brought before Justice Cornwell, on the charge of violating the ordinances in maintaining nuisaces. They pleaded guilty, and on the recommendation of Alderman Green, sentence was suspended until next Saturday, in order to enable them to dispose of their property in the mean time. One man pleaded not guilty to the charge of keeping goars, but acknowledged that he kept kids. He thought thereby to evade the penalty, but the Justice decided that kids were good enough goals to enable him to impose the usual fine for keeping them; and he did so. On Saturday afternoon, a general charge was made upon the piggeries by the Niath Ward Police. Fifty-two arrests were made, all of whom have been held to answer, the persons arrested represent 175 hogs and 48 goats, according to their own statements, but it is known that they actualty own more than treble that number. Thus far the pigs have not been impounded, but it is in-tended to do so if they are not taken out of the way within the coming week.

CITY MORTALITY .- The total number of deaths in this city last week was 142, of which 40 were adults, and 102 under 21 years of age. The principal discases were: Cholera infantum, 29; consumption, 13; marasmus, 10; convulsions, 10; diarrhea, 6; scarlet fever, 4; typhoid, 2, &c. Under 1 year of age, 57. A comparison between the month of July and the two first weeks of August, 1858, with the present year, shows the following result: Deaths in July, 1858, 653; July, 1859, 605; a decrease of 40. Deaths in August, ending the 13th of the month, in 1858, 169. Same period in 1859, 142, showing a decrease of 27.

CHURCH DEDICATION .- The Roman-Catholic Church of the Assumption, on the corner of York and Jay streets, was dedicated yesterday. The Right Rev. Bishop Laughlin of this city, and the Right Rev. Bishop Bacon of Portland, Me., formerly Paster of this Church, officiated. Numerous improvements have recently been made about the edifice, and it is now greatly enlarged and conveniently arranged for the accommodation of the large congregation which at-tends it. The present pastor is the Rev. Mr. Keegan. There was a numerous attendance yesterday to witness the ceremonies.

FIRE.-Between 1 and 2 o'clock on Sunday morning. a fire broke out in the mustard manufactory of Mr. Dean, No. 67 Furman street, near the foot of Cranberry street. The smoke was discovered by Coxswain Nesbitt of Harbor Police boat No. 2, who, with four men, repaired to the building and broke open the door, and gave the alarm. They found the interior so thick with smoke that very little could be done toward saving the contents. The flames soon broke out in a large volume, and in connection with the dense smcke, presented a terrifically grand spectacle. The ergines arrived with all practicable speed, and succeeded in conficing the flames to the building in which they originated. There was a large stock of prepared and unprepared material, which was completely destroyed by the immense flood of water played upon it from the flights, as well as from the street below. The machinery used in manufacturing the mustard was greatly damaged. The inside of the building was destroyed. The gardens of several families on the Hights were considerably trampled by the firemen in their exertions to suppress the flames. The building is owned by Mr. R. B. Haviland, and is worth about \$10,000. The amount and value of contents could not be definitely ascertained, but it is supposed will reach to \$10,000 or more. The pre mises are insured. The fire, it is thought, originated accidentally in the vicinity of the boiler. The boiler was not much damaged. toward saving the con'ents. The flames soon broke

CAPTURE OF TWO BURGLARS.—Two men named Wm. Datton and James Moore, the former of whom has frequently been arrested for hall thieving, were captured in the house of Edward Vall, No. 299 Union-street, on Saturday evening last, by Captain Shauman and Sergesut Holbrook, of the Third Freeinct Police. The family of Mr. Vall are absent in the country. A neighbor, knowing such to be the case, had her suspiciona aroused by seering a man look out of the window. Information was immediately sent to the Station-House and the above-named officers promptly arrived. They found the house chosed, but on examining the basement shutters ascertained that they were not fastened. On entering it was at once seen that bruglars had been there. Everything had been broken open and the cultents scattered about the floor. A very large basket contained a variety of wearing apparel ready for transportation. The other rooms were in a similar bondition. The officers proceeded to the upper floor, and there, a created under the scuttle, found the two operators, and took them into cust ofy. It appears that they had entered during the day by unfastening these aller-grating. They were occupied the whole afternoon in selecular articles of sufficient value to carry away, and packing them up. Had they not been discovered, they would have taken them off some time during the night. Both the scutsed were committed.

Another man was arrested, in Columbia street, on Saturday night, by Officer Stockholm, on rung-ten of having feboniously entered the residence of the Rev. George Taylor, in Samatic street, the day previous, the family also being absent. It is unknown how much was stolen. The accused had been seen about the house ur der suspicious circumstances by the neighbors, which led to his arrest. He was held for a hearing.

ARREST OF COUNTERPRITERS .- On Saturday afternoon a German named Henry Raff passed three counterfeit &5 bills of the Merchauts' Bank, New York, on Mr. Wells, a brewer in the Sixteenth Ward, and at Turner Hall. As soon as the worthless character of the sills was discovered two of the persons on whom he had passed them gave information to officer Botte of the Sixth Precinct, and in company with the officer weat to New-York to find Raff. After some time spent is searching for him the first statement of the property of the contract of the property of the sixth property o

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY, AND RECOVERY OF STOLES ATTEMPTED BURGLARY, AND RECOVERY OF STOLEN BOOS.—Yesterday afternoon two young follows named Owen Moss and George Holmes were assovered in the rear of the Rev. Mr. Carpenter's house, in Second piace, having stready made an opening in the fence, with the view, doubtless, of taking away such property as they might succeed in setting if they entered the premises. Sergeant Smith and Officer Competion boing advise do if the circumstance, hastened to the place and took both into custody. Upon their persons were found a tortice-shell watch case, with the num ber 18,437 within the lid; a set of pearl to charms, consisting of anchor, heart, and cross; a gentleman's heavy gold pencil; a last's gold genet; and a silver pencil stached to a black silk ribbon; three gold rings, on one of which the letters "E. B. S." are inscribed. The initials were erased from the other rings. They had also in their possession a lady's extension pocket-book, foontaining \$17 in \$1 bills. The accused were committed to await further developments.

TRUANCY.—John Coyne, a youth who had been committed to the Truant Institution, found a way to escape some days since. He was seen about his old haunts in the Tenth Ward on Saturday, when he was arrested and taken back by Officer Branasan.

THE ATLANTIC-STREET TUNNEL.—The Supreme Court has appointed Mesers John Winstow, T. F. King, and John D. Lawrence Commissioners under the act of the Legislature to close up the Atlantic-street relieved tunnel.

STICIDE.—A man, apparently about 30 years of age, dressed in dark clothes, and black close fitting cap, committed suitelds on Friday might by jumping overboard from the Faiton Ferry boat Gowanus, shortly after she left the New-York slip. No effort was made to rescue him.

CHARGE OF HIGHWAY ROBBERY.—Sergeant Ferry of the Third Precinct Police, yeaterday arrested Edward Cassidy, who is charged with being the accomplice of Samuel Cordozo. The latter, it will be recollected, was arrested Priday afternoon for htocking down and robbing Mrs. Kelley, who was walking alor 8 Smith street, Lear Schermerhom, at the time. Both parties are now in costody.

GRAND LARCENY.—Yesterday morning officer Osborn, of the Seventh Precinct, observed a man named Robert Mack, about to cross the Greenpoint ferry, with a quantity of old copper. Supposing it to have been stolen, he arrested Mack, and subsequently learned that he had stolen it from the steamship Mexico, bjorn at Hunter's Point, where he was employed as a watchman. He was locked up for examination.